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A. COMDT COGARD WASHINGTON DC 101955Z MAY 06
SUBJ: TRANSPORTATION WORKER IDENTIFICATION CREDENTIAL (TWIC)
AND CONSOLIDATED MERCHANT MARINER QUALIFICATION CREDENTIAL
(MMC) NOTICES OF PROPOSED RULE MAKING (NPRM) PUBLICATION AND
NOTIFICATION OF PUBLIC MEETING LOCATIONS

1. THE TWIC AND MMC NPRM WERE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL
REGISTER ON 22 MAY 2006 IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER.

2. PUBLIC MEETINGS WILL BE HELD TO RECEIVE COMMENTS ON BOTH
NPRM AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS ON THE DATES AND TIMES LISTED:
A. 31 MAY 2006 FROM 0900 TO 1700 IN NEWARK, NEW JERSEY AT THE
SHERATON NEWARK AIRPORT HOTEL, 128 FRONTAGE ROAD, NEWARK, NJ,
07114. RESERVATION PHONE NUMBER 973-690-5500.

B. 1 JUNE 2006 FROM 0900 TO 1700 IN TAMPA, FLORIDA AT THE
GRAND HYATT TAMPA BAY HOTEL, 2900 BAYPORT DRIVE, TAMPA, FL,
33607. RESERVATION PHONE NUMBER 813-874-1234.

C. 6 JUNE 2006 FROM 0900 TO 1700 IN ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI AT THE
RENAISSANCE ST. LOUIS HOTEL AIRPORT, 9801 NATURAL BRIDGE ROAD,
ST. LOUIS, MO, 63134. RESERVATION PHONE NUMBER 888-340-2594.

D. 7 JUNE 2006 FROM 1000 TO 1800 IN LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA AT
THE RENAISSANCE LONG BEACH HOTEL, 111 EAST OCEAN BOULEVARD,
LONG BEACH, CA, 90802. RESERVATION PHONE NUMBER 800-HOTELS-1.

3. COPIES OF THE TWIC AND MMC NPRM HAVE BEEN POSTED ON THE
USCG HOMEPORT INTERNET WEBPORTAL, THE MTSA-ISPS HELPDESK
INTERNET WEBSITE, AND THE TSA WEBSITE. THE URLS ARE:

[HTTP://HOMEPORT.USCG.MIL](http://homeport.uscg.mil) UNDER THE NEWS HEADING,
[WWW.USCG.MIL/HQ/G-M/MP/MTSA.SHTML](http://www.uscg.mil/hq/g-m/mp/mtsa.shtml) , AND [HTTP://WWW.TSA.GOV](http://www.tsa.gov) ,
RESPECTIVELY.

4. A NOTICE OF MEETING WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL
REGISTER WITH THE ABOVE DETAILED HOTEL INFORMATION ON 26 MAY
2006.

5. REQUEST COTP ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING WIDEST DISSEMINATION
OF SUBJECT INFORMATION THROUGH AREA MARITIME SECURITY
COMMITTEES.

6. QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE TWIC AND MMC NPRM SHOULD BE
DIRECTED TO THE MTSA-ISPS HELPDESK HOTLINE AT 1-877-MTSA-AID
(1-877-267-2243).

7. INTERNET RELEASE AUTHORIZED.

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